

<b>REQUEST TO CORRECT TITLE OF APPLICATION</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	10/591,335
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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicants hereby request that the title of the application be corrected. The title currently reads

“METHODS FOR PRODUCING MICHROCHANNEL CHIPS, MICHROCHANNEL CHIPS, METHODS FOR SEPARATING BIOMOLECULES USING THE MICROCHANNEL CHIPS, AND ELECTROPHORETIC APPARATUS HAVING THE MICROCHANNEL CHIPS”

but should read

“METHODS FOR PRODUCING MICROCHANNEL CHIPS, MICROCHANNEL CHIPS, METHODS FOR SEPARATING BIOMOLECULES USING THE MICROCHANNEL CHIPS, AND ELECTROPHORETIC APPARATUS HAVING THE MICROCHANNEL CHIPS” (corrections underlined).

Applicants have not yet received an official filing receipt, although PAIR records reflect this incorrect title. To confirm that this error was made by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (“PTO”), Applicants refer the PTO to several documents of record, including the transmittal letter which accompanied the filing of the application and the inventor declaration as filed. Each of these documents recites the correct title (i.e., with the word “microchannel” spelled correctly).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary fees to our Deposit Account No. 14-1138.

Respectfully submitted,

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